Forecasts Show Prospects for Tremendous Yields Improved Generally During August.

MANY RECORDS ARE BROKEN

Wheat Crop Will Show 90,000,000 While Corn Harvest Will Turn Out 2,985,000,000 Bushels.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 8 .-Bumper grain crops this year now seem assured. Basing predictions on a canass made September 1, the Agricultural Department to-day issued forecasts showing that the prospects of big yields generally had improved dur-

blg yields generally and improved during August.

The wheat crop is placed at 981,306,000 bushels, 30,000,000 more than
last year's record crop. No change is
made in the August 1 prediction of
659,000,000 bushels of winter wheat.
Conditions for the spring wheat crop
have been ideal, and the production
forecast for that crop was increased
15,000,000 bushels, to a total of 322,000,000 bushels. When the final canvass is made the entire wheat production probably will reach 1,000,000,000
bushels.

Corn production prospects increased 67,000,500 during August, the forecast now being 2,985,000,000 bushels. Although that exceeds last year's crop by more than 110,000,000 bushels, it falls 139,000,000 short of the record crop of

139,309,300 short of the record crop of 1912.

Oats may reach a record, the September forecast being 1,408,000,000 bushels, which is 267,000,000 more than was harvested last year, but 10,000,000 bushels below the record crop of 1912.

The condition of white potatoes took a decided drop. Indications point to the record crops of barley, rye, sweet potatoes, tobacco, rice and hay. The apple and peach crops also are far above the average.

The department's figures follow (in millions of bushels—i. e., 000,000's are omitted): Winter wheat, 650; spring wheat, 322; all wheat, 981; corn, 2,985; oats, 1,408; barley, 223; buckwheat, 18; white potatoes, 406; sweet potatoes, 55; tobacco (pounds), 1,125; fiax, 18; rice, 26; hay (tons), 81; apples, 214; peaches,

hay (tons), \$1; apples, 214; peaches

Other details follow: Spring wheat-Condition, 94.6; acre eld, 16.5 Corn—Condition, 78.8; yield, 27.3. Oats—Condition, 91.1; yield, 35.0, Barley—Condition, 94.2; yield, 36.2, Buckwheat—Condition, 88.6; yield,

White potatoes—Condition, \$2.7, fixed potatoes—Condition, \$2.7, et potatoes—Condition, 87.5 Tobacco—Condition, \$0.7: yield, \$50.6 Flax—Condition, \$7.6: yield, \$7.7 Rice—Condition, \$2.2: yield, \$2.2. Hay—Yield, 1.55.

Apples-Condition, 62.7.

wars crop will be worth \$22,500,000 to he farmers of Virginia."

CROP SUMMARY

egetation Growing Luxurinatly Since Recent Rains, Reports United States Weather Bureau.

The following crop summary for the eek ending September 7 was issued starday by the United States Weather vered the entire State

It the greater amount of which left i his the latter portion of the week, the southeastern section of the State e rain has damaged some fodder and layed the harvesting of forage crop. it has caused all vegetation to grow

ixuriantly. . In the southwest and western por-In the southwest and western por-ons of the State the corn and tobacco rops are good, the corn crop being arger than the average. Corn is being as rapidly as possible, and tobacco-ting is progressing rapidly. Consid-ble plowing is being done, except in

the southeastern section, where the cound is too wet.

Late sown corn is growing rapidly not the pastures are good in all secons, "especially good" in the western

More sunshine would be beneficial to

FLOYD INQUEST TO-DAY

roper to Investigate Death of Man Who Was Thrown or Fell From an Upper Window.

An inquest into the death of J. I. oyd, the man who was thrown or who cidentally fell from a third-story indow of the lodging house at 1437 indow of the lodging house at 1437 ist Main Street last Saturday night, d who died of a fractured skull in ace Hospital Tuesday, will be held by roner Taylor in his office this morn-g at 10 o'clock.

Edward W. Bentley, proprietor of the street who edute having had a fight

use, who admits having had a fight th Floyd a short time before he was th Floyd a short time before he was and on the sidewalk in front of the use, is being held on a charge of murr. He will be given a hearing in Police Court on Saturday morhing, ntley denies all knowledge as to how byd happened to be found on the eet, but one of the first persons to ich the injured man found Bentley's on the body, a piece of evidence ich the police believe to be damag-

District Physician Elected.
The Administrative Board yesterday cted Dr. B. L. Phillips Second Distribution of the Board of Health

if physician of the Board of Health
fill the vacancy created by the resigion of Dr. J. H. Crouch.
Dr. Phillips was chosen on the first
lot, Commissioners Beck, Folkes and
schberg voting for his election,
lie Commissioner McCarthy voted for
H. C. Rucker, Dr. J. Gordon Boisu was also a candidate for the posi-

Charged With Selling Liquor. Charged With Selling Liquor.
atherine Hudson, a white woman,
inty-nine years old, was arrested
night by Policamen Sweet and Gary
a charge of selling liquor without a
nse at 1717 Venable Street,
er sister, Myrtle Hudson, with H.
Zrowder, E. F. White, H. J. Staude
James Childress were arrested in
house on the charge of being dishouse on the charge of being dis-erly there. All will be given a hear-in the Police Court this morning.

NO ESTIMATES OF LOSS

Chesapeake and Ohlo Has No Immediate Plan for Rebuilding Burned Grain Elevator.

Until the insurance adjusters arrive n a few days and inspect the burned elevator of the Chesapeake and Ohio at Newport News no intelligent estimate of the damage can be made, according to a statement issued yesterday by officials of the railroad company here.
In the meantime, Elevator "B" is heat Crop Will Show 90,000,000 working night and day to its full capacity with a largely increased force, and thus far has been enabled to handle and thus far has been enabled to handle the business satisfactorily. In addition along the lines of the resolution Pier 10 is now being used as a Friends of Peace, which closed yes-

President Stevens has directed that his sincere thanks and appreciation be conveyed to the city fire department of Newport News as well as to the outside tug boats which assisted the Chesapeake and Ohio fire department in saving property, and to the employees of the railway company for the prompt and efficient service rendered by them. As a token of his appreciation, Mr. Stevens has directed that a donation of \$500 be made to the Relief Association of the Newport News Fire Departure. ate future. tion of the Newport News Fire Depart- Peace.

the loss and hindrance to business ex- Louis perienced by his company.

James

exportation of war munitions; and leg-

"There can be no doubt," said Francis

WILL NOT BIND MEMBERS

of Peace, Leaves Each Individual

to Decide Who He Will Support.

CHICAGO, September 8 .- Officials of

the Friends of Peace conferred here

on plans for a nation-wide organi-

zation "for political and other action."

The contemplated organization will

tion of the Newport News Fire Department.

A committee of twenty-seven who will have charge of details of the national organization, includes:

Robert Ford, New York, chairman: the loss and hindrance to business experienced by his company.

Peace.

A committee of twenty-seven who will have charge of details of the national organization, includes:

Robert Ford, New York, chairman:

Louis J. Knell, Buffalo, secretary:

James K. McGuire, Syracuse; Herman

BANK STATEMENTS.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE National State and City Bank

AT RICHMOND, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, RESOURCES.

owned unpledged \$2,142 86 Total bonds, securities, etc...

Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve
Bank ... \$ 96,000 00
Less amount unpaid ... \$ 48,000 00 All other stocks, including premium on same..... Value of banking-house (if unencumbered)..... 5,327 60 112,209 34 Furniture and fixtures
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis

Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in two preceding lines)

Exchanges for clearing-house
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank
Outside checks and other cash items.

Fractional currency, nickels and cents.

1,002 \$9

Apples—Condition, 62.7.

CARMERS OF VIRGINIA WILL
GET #22.500,000 FOR CROPS
[Special to The Times-Dispatch]
WASHINGTON, September 8.—Presilent Harrison, of the Southern Railway Company, commenting to-day on eport of the United States Department of Agriculture on crop conditions as of September 1, said.

The outbook for this year's corn top in Virginia is most encouraging. The cendition of the crop on September 1, was 65 per cent. The department estimates he total yield at \$2,000,000 bushels last car and a five-year average of \$2,000 bushels. The improvement of he crop diring the month of August vas such as to lead the department to nice as give as the lead the department to nice as give as the lead the department to nice as give as such as to lead the department of the stimate based on the condition on August 1. At 97 cents a bushels, the Univided profits 24,000 bushels on the department for original on September 1, the nice as of 23,220,000 bushels over last 100 to Total\$7,607,727 73

*Total capital and surplus \$228,656 01 \$1,600,600 00 Undivided profits \$25,555 00 Reserved for takes \$1,600,600 18,083 42 Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid......

Circulating notes
Net amount due to approved reserve agents in New
York, Chicago and St. Louis.
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in preceding line)
Dividends unpaid
Demand deposits:
Individual deposits subject to check.

Certified checks
68.986 35 Certified checks
Cashier's checks outstanding
United States deposits
Postal savings deposits
Time deposts (payable after thirty days or subject to
thirty or more days' notice):

Consider covered the entire State uring the first portion of the week and losed with rising temperature.

Partly cloudy to cloudy weather has revalled during the entire week, with ore than the average amount of rain-like the greater amount of which fell uring the latter partles of the week.

Certificates of deposit 1,465,416 49 Other time deposits 5.

United States bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral security for same other bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral security for same Unearned discount 1,465,416 49 Other time deposits 1,465,416 Total\$7,607,727 73

State of Virginia, City of Richmond—ss:

I. Julien H. Hill, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly sw that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JULIEN H. HILL. Coffect-Attest:

JAMES D. CRUMP, HUGH ANTRIM, JAMES H. ANDERSON, WM. H. PALMER, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of September, 1915.

J. L. DE TREVILLE,

Notary Public. My commission expires July 9, 1916.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

Broad Street Bank

LOCATED AT RICHMOND, IN THE COUNTY OF HENRICO. STATE OF VIR-

RESOURCES.

Due to national banks.

Reserved for accrued interest on deposits.

Reserved for accrued interest on certificates of deposit.

Reserved for accrued taxes

Total

I, Andrew M. Glovef, cashier, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of Broad Street Bank, located at Richmond, in the County of Henrico, State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 2nd day of September, 1915, to the best of my knowledge and belief,

ANDREW M. GLOVER,
Cashier.

Correct:-Attest:

I. H. KAUFMAN, J. W. ROTHERT, RAPHAEL LEVY, JOHN MURPHY, Directors.

State of Virginia, City of Richmond—88; Sworn to and subscribed before me by Andrew M. Glover, cashier, this 8th E. L. WORD, Notary Public. My commission expires February 4, 1916.

A. Metz, Brooklyn: Congressman Henry | RETURNS FROM EXPOSITION Vollmer, Davenport, Iowa: Carl Schurz, TO UPHOLD UNITED STATES New York; Herman B. Ridder, New York; Henry Weismann, New York; Ferdinand Hausen, New York; Jere-miah O'Leary, New York; Congress-man Stephen G. Porter, Pittsburgh, and

John G. Roth, Brooklyn. **EDWARDS QUITS RACE**

Will Not Be Candidate for Sheriff in

New York. "freedom of the seas" from England's blockade of Germany; cessation of the NEW YORK, September 8 .- William NEW YORK, September 8.—William H. Edwards (Big Bfil), formerly New York's street cleaning commissioner, has announced he had changed his mind about becoming a candidate for sheriff at the Democratic primaries, and had withdrawn in favor of Missell Primaries, and sculpture, the charter clerk was chiefly impressed by the works of the middle primaries, and sculpture.

Commission, Greatly Impressed
With Fine Arts Exhibit.

Charter Clerk D. H. Drum, of the State Corporation Commission offices. returned to his desk yesterday after ah absence of three weeks. Mr. Drum spent the greater part of his vacation on the Pacific Coast and touring in the Southwest. He visited the Panama-Pacific Exposition, devoting three days to sightseeing.

grain pier, which facilitates the handling of the grain to a very considerable
extent.

No definite plans have as yet been
made as to the rebuilding of Elevator
"A." It is stated that no move in that
direction will be made in the immedi
tenday.

Friends of Peace, which closed yes.

Sheriff at the Democratic primaries, and had withdrawn in favor of Alfred E.

Smith, the Tammany nomince.

Edwards several days ago announced hat with Capitol a large and varied color at the Capitol a large and varied color at the Capitol a large and varied color be would run for sheriff on an indelection of photographs of the pictures and statuary.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank AT RICHMOND, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSI-

NESS, SEPTEMBER 2, 1915. RESOURCES. | RESOURCES. | \$ 11.479,009 18 | Total loans | \$ 11.479,009 18 | Overdrafts, unsecured, \$3,638.55 | C. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | \$ 1,785,500 00 | U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value) | 75,000 00 | Total loans | Total lo Total U. S. bonds..... 1,870,500 00 All other stocks, including premium on same...... 1,275,349 51 Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than above two items)...

Exchanges for clearing house
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting 1,990,700 60 21,897 9 36,266 16 164,720 00 13,520 00

Notes of other national banks.....

58,800 10 LIABILITIES. -\$ 3,000,000 00

Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid\$ 1,795,500 00 34,000 00 1.761,500 00

12,863,480 9 U. S. bonds befrowed without furnishing collateral 1,028,400 0

Total\$18,946,090 28 State of Virginia, City of Richmond—ss:

207,035 07

I, W. M. Glover, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. M. ADDISON, Cashier. Cashler

Correct-Attest:

O. H. FUNSTEN, JNO. C. EASLEY, COLEMAN WORTHAM, T. H. CARY, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of September, 1915. A. K. PARKER, Notary Public

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

AT RICHMOND, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSI-

NESS, SEPTEMBER 2, 1915.

RESOURCES. \$ 403,442 40 68 48 121,095 00 8,500 00 Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than above two CATED AT RICHMOND, IN THE COUNTY OF HENRICO. STATE OF VIR-GINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, SEPTEMBER 2, 1915, MADE TO THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION.

Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than above two items)

Exchanges for clearing-house
Outside checks and other cash items.

\$ 315 69
Fractional currency, nickels and cents.

128 21

Federal Reserve notes

Lawful money reserve in bank:

Total coin and certificates

Legal-tender notes

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury (not more than 5 per cent on circulation) \$ 5,000 00 19,209 85 Total\$623,213 88 74,411 01
16,109 01
44,321 00
1,217 23
Surplus fund
Total capital and surplus
1,4,652 77
10,666 90
Undivided profits

\$ 150,000 00
12,800 00
12,800 00

\$ 3,303 79 Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid..... 2,762 48 Circulating notes \$ 100,000 no 100,000 00

121,528 97 Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed . . 23,000 00

State of Virginia, City of Richmond—ss:

I. D. C. Ballard, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that
the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. C. BALLARD,
Cashier.

Correct-Attest:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of September, 1915.

H. McGRANIGHAN,
Notary Public. My commission expires January 2, 1916.

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1889 "Strong as the Strongest" 1915



STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

The Savings Bank of Richmond

OF VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, SEPTEMBER 2, 1915, MADE TO THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION. RESOURCES. Mortgages on improved city real estate. . \$768,954 13 Loans and discounts 816,954 26 - \$1,585,908 39 Overdrafts, unsecured, \$143.85 143 85

Bonds, securities, etc., owned, including premium on 41,600 00 10.662 59 Banking house and lot
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank
Exchanges and checks for next day's 12.000 00 . 70,251 69 Total \$1,747,566 43 Capital stock paid in \$200,000 00 Surplus fund Undivided profits, less amount paid for interest, ex-200.000 00

penses and taxes
Dividends unpaid
Individual deposits, including savings 58,004 26 1,224,769 19 Bills payable, including certificates of deposit representing money borrowed

resenting money borrowed

Reserved for accrued interest on deposits

Reserved for accrued taxes 20.000 00 11,939 04 6,788 44 Total.....\$1,747,566 43

I. L. Z. Morris, president, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of The Savings Bank of Richmond, located at Richmond, in the county of Henrico, State Virginia, at the close of business on the 2d day of September, 1915, to the best of my knowledge and belief. L. Z. MORRIS, President.

Correct-Attest:

THOS. L. MOORE. GEO. L. CHRISTIAN, GEO. L. CHRIG. F. SITTERDING, Directors.

1915

State of Virginia, city of Richmond: Sworn to and subscribed before me by L. Z. Morris, this 8th day of September, 1915.

GEO. W. WATT, Notary Public. My commission expires March 12, 1917.

1889 "Safe as the Safest"

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE American National Bank

AT RICHMOND, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS

All other stocks, including premium on same

Customers' liability account of "acceptances"...... 1,392,376 10 LIABILITIES.

United States bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral se-Curity for same.

Other bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral security for same.

Rediscounts with Federal Reserve Bank.

Reserve Bank.

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State of Virginia, City of Richmond—ss:
I. O. B. Hill, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
O. B. HILL.
Cashier. Correct-Attest:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, 1915, CHARLES P. BIGGER, Notary Public.

Commission expires February 25, 1918.